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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Flour mill at Nashville, Tenn., burned; loss $240,000. —— American Cotton Oil Company has declared a semi-annual dividend. —— President Roosevelt will leave Washington next Monday night for Memphis, Tenn., via New York. —— A number of witnesses for the defence testified in the Molineux trial; among them a woman who testified that the man she saw with the famous poison package was not Molineux. —— U. S. Senator Quay has gone to his Winter home at St. Lucie, Fla. —— Schooner Austin D. Knight was run down and sunk by the Italian barque Sorrento. —— Republicans claim a majority of 26 in the next House of Representatives. —— The Democratic State committee of New York are waiting for the full official returns before deciding upon plan of action in the gubernatorial contest. —— The coal strike arbitrators finished their tour of the mining regions and will meet again Nov. 14th, to hear the miners' side of the case. —— Eight men were drowned and several vessels wrecked by a storm Tuesday last, on the north Pacific coast. —— The reported victory of government troops in Venezuela over insurgents turns out to be incorrect. —— Severe earthquake shocks causing loss of life are reported in Portugal. —— N. Y. markets: Money on call was firm at 4@6 per cent.; cotton dull at 8.55c; flour was firm at old prices; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 78½c; corn—spot quiet, No. 2 66c; oats—spot dull, No. 2, 34c; rosin firm; spirits turpentine firm at 53@53½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WASHINGTON, N. C., Nov. 6.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 67 degrees; 8 P. M., 68 degrees; maximum, 74 degrees; minimum, 66 degrees; mean, 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .10; rainfall since 1st of month to date, .10.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6—For North Carolina: Fair and cooler Friday; Saturday fair, fresh to northeast winds.

Port Almanac--November 7.

Sun Rises	6.28 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.59 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 31 M.
High Water at Southport	12.01 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	2.31 A. M.

Sending soldiers into the Pennsylvania strike region to preserve order will cost the State $1,000,000.

Four Americans have bought in Northern Mexico a patch of land 125 miles long and 100 broad for a cattle ranch.

The chewing-gum trust made a profit of 15 per cent. the past twelve months, and reports prospects bright, as the army of chewers is on the increase. The fellow who got up that trust had some gumption.

Dr. Paul Moser, of Vienna, uses a serum in the treatment of scarlet fever, which is said to be giving encouraging results, so encouraging that it is classed in importance with the discovery of the diphtheria serum.

"Lew to Lou" was inscribed on the inside of a gold ring which a New York man found in the inside of a codfish which he had caught. It may be inferred from this that codfish haven't any more sense about what they eat than some men.

To demonstrate how quickly microbes get up and scoot around a Dublin professor got some, put them in a refuse heap, put culture dishes 800 feet to the windward, some of them 60 feet high, and after three hours he found bacteria in every one of them.

The Hon. Russell Page runs a little bank on his own account. It is said that a few weeks ago, when the pinch was on, he had out $27,000,000 on call and time loans, while he is thought to have twice as much loaned in the regular way. He rarely has less than $20,000,000 out on short loans.

A Dallas, Oregon, man celebrated the rise in the price of hops by investing $100 in nickels, called up about 400 children, scattered nickels and let the little chaps grab. He got through with 2,000 nickels, and some of the most industrious grabbers had more nickels than they ever had before in their lives.

Chas. M. Schwab, referring to the suspicions that he is off his mental balance, asks: "Do I look like a crazy man?" He looks like a man who is very well satisfied with himself and the world. Mr. Schwab may be mentally all right, although he is performing in a freaky fashion, but it is one of the hardest jobs imaginable to convince a crazy man that he is crazy or that he looks like a crazy man.

FINANCES OF THE COUNTY.

Auditing Committee in Regular Monthly Session Yesterday Afternoon—The Treasurer's Report.

The auditing committee of the Board of County Commissioners was in regular session yesterday afternoon; all members present. Aside from hearing a representative of the Wilmington Sewerage Co., upon an application for reduction of tax assessment, which was deferred for action, the only business of public interest was the reception of the treasurer's monthly statement for October, which shows receipts and disbursements as follows:

Receipts—Balance to general county fund, $3,334.38; special funds, $1,279.82; road fund, $25,189.55; sinking fund, $320.96; general county fund to road fund, $2,000; general property tax, $5,503.52; back taxes, $450.51; rents, $23.34; sale of mules, $140; marriage licenses, $37.05. Total, 38,279.23.

Disbursements—Road fund, $2,000; outdoor poor, $385.62; public buildings, $129.89; hospital, $400; Superior Court, $350; roads and bridges, $124.90; stationery and advertising, $31; magistrates, $20.92; commissioners, $150.90: election, $5; county home, $158.80; jail, $139.10; refunded taxes, $63.65; attorney, $25; Supt. of Health, $100; Coroner, $20; Clerk, $50; janitor, $45; Treasurer's commissions on general fund, $102.67; New Hanover road fund, $2,184.74. Total $6,487.19.

Balance to November $31,792.04, divided as follows: General Fund, $5,046.95; special fund, $1,279.82; road fund, $25,144.81; sinking fund, $320.96.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Rev. J. H. Hildreth and family left yesterday afternoon for Una, Darlington county, S. C., where Rev. Mr. Hildreth has accepted the pastorate of a Baptist church.

— By actual count there were more than 100 new registrations at The Orton yesterday. Travelling men, who have been "around" a good deal, say they never saw a street fair draw such crowds before.

— The STAR is indebted to the Ennis Publishing Co., of Raleigh, N. C., for a copy of Turner's N. C. Almanac, an old and valuable publication, that should be in the home and business office of every one.

— Southport *Standard*: "The telephone line between here and Wilmington was completed last Saturday, and communication over the line was had on Monday. We are informed that the line is not open for business yet."

— The Charleston *Post* says plans have been making for some time to arrange a series of golf tournaments between the Charleston Country Club and other clubs, among which will be the clubs at Wilmington, Columbia, Augusta, Savannah and Chattanooga.

— The floral editor of THE MORNING STAR acknowledges with thanks the receipts of some very beautiful flowers from Mrs. Jeff. D. Sessoms, of Stedman. And in order to combine the useful with the ornamental, Mr. Sessoms sent the horse editor some sweet potatoes of mammoth proportions.

Distinguished Pythians Here.

In connection with the Pythian Carnival, Wilmington enjoys the distinction of having as its guests Grand Chancellor J. L. Scott, Jr., of Graham, N. C., and Mr. W. T. Hollowell, of Goldsboro, Grand Keeper of Records and Seals. They arrived yesterday and were given a cordial welcome to the city upon the festive occasion. It was Grand Chancellor Scott who put the Carnival machinery in motion from his home at Graham Monday night and sent to the Pythians of the city the very cordial greetings printed in these colums Tuesday. The STAR had the pleasure last night of a brief but very pleasant call from the Grand Chancellor, accompanied by that veteran Knight, Col. W. J. Woodward, Past Grand Chancellor, of this city.

Held for Highway Robbery.

George Hogan, the white tramp arrested Wednesday evening on the Carolina Central railroad yards in this city for highway robbery, was bound over to the Superior Court by the Mayor, and in default of $200 bond he went to jail for trial this week. It was Mr. Benj L. Grant and not Mr. Benj. L. Brauch, whom the tramp knocked down and robbed. Hogan says that he had been drinking with Mr. Grant all day and urged that as an excuse for knocking down the old man and robbing him. A detective, shadowing the man since he came from Raleigh, saw the robbery and arrested Hogan.

Negro Editor Dead.

R. B. Russell, a well known colored politician of the Sixth Congressional district and editor of *The Blade*, died Wednesday night at 9 o'clock at Maxton, N. C., from which point he had been issuing his paper lately. Russell was a fearless writer on political matters, and frequently turned his pen against his party organization. He had been honored with various positions of trust by his race in the State, and was a negro of more than average intelligence.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Worth Co.—Seed.
Vollers & Hashagen—We sell.
R. C. DeRosset—Sporting goods.

YESTERDAY'S COURT.

Case Involving Northrop-Gore Difficulty Now Being Heard By Judge Bryan.

THREE CAPITAL OFFENCES.

Grand Jury Returns True Bills Against Ed French and Walter Ellis for Murder and Orange Jessie for Burglary—Proceedings.

The Superior Court was engaged practically all day yesterday in a trial of the case of the State against Messrs Robert H. and W. H. Northrop, Jr., for assault and battery upon Mr. John H. Gore, Jr., a few months ago. By reason of the prominence of the parties interested and the fact that the defendants were arrested upon a bench warrant at the last term of the court for the trial of criminal cases, the hearing is attracting much attention and is being hard fought by the attorneys on both sides. Solicitor Duffy is assisted in conducting the prosecution by Robert Ruark and H. L Stevens, Esqs., while Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and ex-Judge E. K Bryan appear for the Messrs. Northrop.

The case was begun at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and at 5 o'clock in the afternoon all the evidence was in. The argument by counsel and the charge by Judge Bryan will likely consume this morning's session of the court, and the case will probably not reach the jury until this afternoon.

The State first introduced Mr. Jno. H. Gore, Jr., as a witness in the morning and rested. The defence then introduced Mr. B. F. King, Dr. D. W. Bulluck, Messrs. W. H. Northrop, Jr., Samuel Northrop, Theodore B. Kingsbury, Jr., Matt Myers and Warren S. Johnson. Mr. Samuel Northrop was recalled for the defence, and the case was rested. The State next introduced Messrs. George Sloan and Fred Banck, and the testimony for both sides was then closed and court took a recess until 10 A. M. to-day.

The case upon which the defendants are now on trial is assault and battery and they each submit to the charge, but the evidence is being heard to ascertain if there was an element of conspiracy to commit the offence. The defence pleaded a former conviction in connection with the submission.

The court convened yesterday morning at 10 A. M., and the Sheriff returned the jurors summoned for the day with the exception of L. S. Butler, L. A. Weeden, J. S Sellers, J. H. Mallard and A. H. Holmes, who were not found. The following were excused: E. H. Sneed, D. J. Fergus, S. P. McNair, Vance Norwood, P. F. Duffy, W. O. Page and Wm. Goodman. The following cases were disposed of before the Northrop case was taken up:

Richard Plummer, judgment stricken out and case continued to next term.

Laura Cooper, larceny; verdict guilty; four months in jail with leave to hire out.

Susan Ann McKoy, larceny; judgment same as above.

In the afternoon the grand jury came into court as a body and returned true bills in the following capital cases: Orange Jessie, burglary; Walter Ellis, murder, and Ed. French, murder. All the defendants are colored. Jessie broke into the house of another negro in Chadbourn's alley last July and stole a small amount of money. The two negroes charged with murder, admit the killing and appear to have pretty strong evidence that it was accidental. Ellis shot a companion at a church in the northern section of the city several months ago and French about 10 days ago shot a negro named Armstrong, back of Wilson's cart house, in "Brooklyn."

The following talesmen are summoned for to-day: Martin A. Shields, J. D. McClammy, Jno. W. Kerr, R. H. Brady, Calvin Reaves, M. F. Croom, Geo. W. Chesnut, James S. Williams, H. F. Wilder, Louis D. Bradshaw, W. K. Bell, Geo. A. Peterson, J. J. Wooten, G. W. Smith, A. Boswell, Josh J. Piner, F. A. Miller and A. David.

LOCAL SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Largest Vessel to Enter Cape Fear—Arrivals and Departures Yesterday.

Schooner *Merom* cleared yesterday for Boston with cargo of cross ties consigned by Flynn & Co.

Schooner *Robert H. Clinton* is reported as having put in for harbor at Southport at 4 P. M. yesterday.

Steamer *Siambesi*, which is not listed in the marine directory, is reported as having arrived at quarantine at 4:50 P. M. yesterday.

British steamer *Holmlea* cleared yesterday for Bremen with cargo of 5,416 bales of cotton consigned by Messrs. Sprunt & Son.

The steamer *Planter* was in port yesterday with her customary number of bales of cotton from Georgetown, S. C., for Messrs. Sprunt & Son.

Southport *Standard*: "The British steamer *Lobelia*, which arrived on Saturday last and went up to Wilmington, is the largest by one foot that ever went up the Cape Fear river. The vessel drew 22 feet and 10 inches, and brought a cargo of kainit for the Navassa Guano Co. Capt. A. M. Guthrie piloted the ship up the river."

Scarlet Fever Quarantine.

The residence of Mr. Peter Fick, at the Chemical Engine house on Fourth street, was quarantined yesterday for scarlet fever. His little son, Louis, 9 years old, has the disease.

THE COUNTY'S OFFICIAL VOTE.

Result of Tuesday's Election As Declared Yesterday By The Board of Canvassers.

PRECINCTS.	COUNTY TICKET.							SOLICITOR.		CONGRESS.		SUPREME COURT.				SENATE.		LEGISLAT'RE	
	Taylor	Biddle	Adrian	Bell	Stedman	Green	Savage	Duffy	Faircloth	Patterson	Slocomb	Clark	Hill	Walker	Connor	Bellamy	Wescott	Morton	Forshee
First Ward—First Precinct	116	117	117	117	113	117	116	116	4	111	8	106	8	114	114	111	5	111	4
First Ward—Second Precinct	71	72	72	72	71	72	71	66	7	65	8	64	6	71	71	66	8	66	8
First Ward—Third Precinct	53	53	53	52	53	52	55	53		54	1	52	1	54	54	52		53	
Second Ward	232	232	229	231	230	231	231	224	8	221	11	221	2	223	223	218	10	214	9
Third Ward	308	307	303	307	306	308	294	300	9	286	11	281	16	307	307	293	10	287	9
Fourth Ward	232	231	230	231	225	231	218	225	7	212	14	215	9	231	231	215	8	210	8
Fifth Ward—First Precinct	147	147	147	147	145	148	146	138	7	136	13	136	9	147	147	133	11	139	5
Fifth Ward—Second Precinct	138	138	138	138	138	138	141	138	11	135	14	137	12	149	149	138	11	138	11
Cape Fear	41	41	41	41	41	41		26	15	38	3	38	2	41	41	26	15	26	14
Federal Point	13	13	13	13	13	13		10	3	3	2	5	1	6	6	10	3	10	3
Masonboro	44	44	44	44	44	44		43	1	43	1	43	1	44	44	42	2	43	1
Delgado	52	53	52	53	53	53		44	9	25	18	14	39	54	54	42	10	43	7
Harnett	15	15	15	16	15	16		16		16		15		16	16	16		15	
Total	1462	1460	1454	1462	1447	1464	1272	1399	81	1345	104	1327	106	1457	1457	1362	93	1355	79

CAPT. V. V. RICHARDSON DEAD.

Leading Citizen of His County and State Passed Away at Whiteville Yesterday—Loss to the Community.

Capt. V. V. Richardson, one of the most influential men in this section and a leading citizen of Columbus county, died yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock at his home in Whiteville, N. C., aged about 63 years. Capt. Richardson suffered a stroke of paralysis about three years ago and not long since while attempting to walk about the house in his feeble condition he fell and broke his hip. A short time before, he suffered a second stroke of paralysis, but until the night before his death he had been steadily gaining in strength and friends hoped for his ultimate partial recovery. He was a staunch Democrat and enthusiastic in all matters pertaining to his country. On Wednesday he was on the streets of Whiteville in his rolling chair, rejoicing in the Democratic victory. Either the excitement or other causes had a bad effect upon his constitution and at night he became worse. The change for the worse in his condition was discovered by Mrs. Richardson when she noticed that her husband did not arise at midnight to take his medicine as usual. He had relapsed into unconsciousness and never rallied until death ended his suffering in the early morn.

Capt. Richardson was much loved and esteemed by the people of his county. For eight years he was chosen by them for sheriff almost unanimously; for three or four terms he represented them in the General Assembly and once came within a few votes of being elected Speaker of the House. At the Magnolia Convention in 1874, without his being a candidate, he made a close run for the Congressional nomination and at the time of his death he was a director of the State Deaf and Dumb Institution. He was also a U. S. Marshal for the Eastern District during President Cleveland's first administration.

Capt. Richardson married Miss Amanda Smith, a daughter of the late Alfred Smith, of Whiteville, and she with three daughters and three sons, all grown, survive him. They are Messrs. Clarence, A. S., and Don. Richardson and Misses Maude, Etta and Bessie Richardson. To the bereaved family the sympathy of the entire community is extended.

Capt. Richardson was a brave Confederate soldier and was in command of one of the crack companies in his regiment. He was wounded and returning to his home, he was made sheriff of his county. There were few better or purer men in the State than Capt. Richardson and his death is a distinctive loss.

— Mr. J. H. Land, Jr., of Chadbourn, is here for the Carnival.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Regular Monthly Meeting Yesterday Afternoon—Reports From the Executive Board—Earlier Mail Wanted.

The regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday afternoon, President Chadbourn presiding and Secretary Kyle at his desk.

The Executive Board made a very complete report of the finances of the Chamber, covering the first and second quarters of the current fiscal year. It was shown that the Exchange is now operating on 82 per cent. of its income. President Chadbourn, in making the report for the Executive Council, read a letter addressed to him by Secretary Kyle as follows:

"DEAR SIR:—Complying with your instructions that I make you a brief report of the Executive Committee records for the first and second quarters, I beg to state that our records show that 23 regular and special meetings have been held, 511 letters written, and 15 subjects of importance discussed and acted upon.

"The president has always visited the Chamber once daily, and usually twice, except during his absence North, and in this interval the vice president gave the affairs of the Chamber the same attention as the president would have done had he been here. The Executive Committee, except when out of town, have been very regular in their attendance of all meetings; in fact, the activity and interest displayed by the entire Executive Board is remarkable. The operations are too important to admit of a full report without ample time to prepare same."

A communication was read from Col. W. L. DeRosset, secretary and treasurer of the Navassa Guano Co., asking the Chamber to take some action in reference to an earlier mail from the North. There was a general discussion of trains, schedules, etc., and finally the Transportation Committee of the Chamber, consisting of Messrs. J. A. Taylor (chairman), C. W. Worth and R. A. Parsley, was requested to visit General Manager Kenly, of the Atlantic Coast Line, and make an effort to get an early train from the North, arriving at Wilmington not later than 8:30 A. M.

Mr. W. E. Worth asked that some action be taken looking to the improvement of the Bell Telephone service in the city. A long discussion followed, and after it was explained that a committee from the Chamber had already had a conference with District Superintendent Spier, it was decided to let the matter drop until the underground system is instituted.

Messrs. G. J. Boney (chairman), W. P. Oldham, W. B. Cooper, W. W. Blair, F. W. Foster, P. Q. Moore and J. H. Brown, composing the committee on Public Utilities, was instructed to use their efforts before the Board of Aldermen to get an improvement of the streets and also lower the sewer pipes which empty into the city docks.

BREAKS ALL RECORDS

That Stereotyped Gauge of Fair Crowds Aptly Applies to the Pythian Carnival.

MONT PELEE POSTPONED.

Accident and Rain Prevented Grand Pyrotechnic Display on the River Front—Comes Off To-Night—Better Weather Is Looked For.

Ill luck seems to have pursued the Carnival management yesterday. Early in the day, with the streets thronged with out-of-town people, rain began to fall and the outlook was gloomy. In the early afternoon the skies brightened, however, and just as the crowd was beginning to grow enthusiastic once more, news came that the crowning feature of the day, the Mont Pelee eruption at 8 P. M. on the water front, would have to be postponed until the following night. During a sudden squall on the river the scenic part of the eruption, which had been constructed on three barges, was blown into the river. Seven carpenters were rushed to the scene at once to repair the damage in time for the display to come off as advertised, but it was seen that it was a physical impossibility to get everything in readiness and the Executive Committee early in the day officially announced the postponement until the same hour to-night.

Another disappointment came with the announcement that Chet Baldwin, the balloonist, would be unable to make the ascension and parachute leap at 5 P. M. as scheduled. He is still confined to his hotel with two physicians in attendance upon him. He regrets much the disappointment and forfeits by his failure to appear as advertised, but sickness is something that must be taken into account upon all occasions and no one can be blamed.

The crowds thronged the midway yesterday and last evening, despite the lowering clouds, and it was not until a heavy downpour of rain at 10 o'clock at night that the merrymakers would desist from the festivities of the occasion and seek shelter. The crowds were larger than were ever seen in Wilmington before. The various attractions were well patronized and everybody had a good time. There were few arrests and the throngs of people were good natured and on pleasure bent, pure and simple. Several wholesale and retail merchants remarked during the day that the Carnival with its splendid attraction for out-of-town people this time had been a wonderful help to their business. Every hotel and boarding house is chock-a-block and the people yesterday "just kept a-comin.'" The same will be the case to-day as the low rates will obtain on all railroads.

According to Observer Felger, we are to have excellent weather for the Carnival to-day, and the eruption of Mont Pelee should draw the record-smashing crowd of the fair. The weather forecast is: "Fair and cooler Friday; Saturday, fair. Fresh north to northwest winds." Nothing better could be asked of the weather dispenser.

It was quite popular on the midway last night to be disguised with a false moustache, a red nose and other face "improvements" sold by an industrious fakir on Market street. Some of the "get-ups" were fierce and one could not recognize his next best friend.

Confetti continues to be popular, but the man with the vile smelling cologne atomizer got in his work last night. Many of them were sold. Another popular means of torture last night was a squeaky mouthpiece, which might aptly be called a "bazzoo," for want of a better name. They made all kinds of hideous noises and were second only to the tin "contrapsion," through which a string was drawn with a noise sufficient to make one crawl all over himself. They were simply fierce. The ever-popular tickler and the cane dressed in National colors with sufficient length to tip your hat off when you least expected it were also in evidence. If the weather is fair and the Carnival keeps up two days longer, it will be interesting to see what forms of torture the ingenuity of man will invent. But it all goes to make up a well regulated Carnival and we're bound to have it.

Thanks From Parade Committee.

EDITOR STAR—Permit me to express to the various organizations that participated in the recent Carnival parade the committee's profoundest appreciation and thanks.

The gratifying success achieved could not have been accomplished without their co-operation, hence to them must be accorded the success of the most magnificent Carnival parade ever held in our State. Respectfully

JOHN J. FOWLER,
Chairman Carnival Parade Committee.

THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Lamb, of Williamson, Made Chairman—South Dakota Bond Suit.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 6.—The State Board of Elections to-day made W. G. Lamb, of Williamston, chairman, instead of R. A. Doughton, of Alleghaney, resigned. The Board also appointed Lewellyn, Claywell, Freeman and Lamb a committee to canvass the State election returns with the Governor on Nov. 27.

In the case of South Dakota vs. North Carolina, regarding the State bonds for the Western North Carolina railroad, the deposition of Dr. Kemp P. Battle, of Chapel Hill, was taken to-day. Those of J. J. Mott, J. W. Denmark and others will be taken to-morrow with a view of showing that the statute was not complied with in the issuance of bonds.

OFFICIAL RESULT DECLARED.

County Canvassing Board Yesterday Examined and Tabulated Vote as Cast in Last Tuesday's Election.

The Canvassing Board, consisting of one election officer from each precinct in the county, met yesterday morning at the Court House and officially canvassed and declared the vote of New Hanover as cast Tuesday in the State, Congressional, Judicial and County election. Mr. F. T. Skipper was made chairman and Mr. Gerritt Walker, of Harnett township, was chosen clerk.

The official vote as declared may be found in tabulated form in another column. Treasurer Green led the county ticket with 1,464 votes, while other majorities were as follows: State ticket, 1,330; Superior Court Judges, (average), 1,330; Duffy for Solicitor, 1,318; Patterson for Congress, 1,241; Clark, for Chief Justice, 1,221; Associate Justices, 1,457; Bellamy, for State Senate, 1,269; Morton, for the Legislature, 1,276. Slocomb received in the county only 104 votes; Wescott, 93; Forshee, 79, and Hill, for Chief Justice, 106.

The vote on the State ticket is Joyner, Superintendent of Public Instruction, 1,393; Long, 63. Beddingfield for Corporation Commissioner, 1,392; Abbott, 61. For Superior Court Judges, the vote was as follows: Peebles, 1,449; Cook, 1,392; Timberlake, 63; W. R. Allen, 1,390; Robinson, 67; Neal, 1,393; Seawell, 63; B. F. Long, 1,393; A. L. Coble, 63; E. B. Jones, 1,393; H. R. Starbuck, 63; W. B. Council, 1,393; R. H. McNeill, 63; M. H. Justice, 1,393; Blythe, 63; Frederick Moore, 1,393; Marshburn, 63; Ferguson, 1,394. Cade, 63.

In Harnett township, Jas. A. Dean received 29 votes for constable; Jerry M. Hewlett 19, and John F. Hancock 12. In Cape Fear township, M. G. Chadwick was elected constable without opposition, he having received 39 votes. The returns for constable from Federal Point township were defective in that Wm. H. Williams was voted for as magistrate, and they were thrown out.

BRUNSWICK SWINGS INTO LINE.

For First Time Since 1890 It is Democratic—From Other Counties.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

SOUTHPORT, N. C., November 6.—For the first time since 1890 Brunswick county has swung fully into the Democratic column, as is evidenced by the following majorities officially declared by the canvassing board to-day: Bellamy, for the Senate, 198; Phillips, for the House, 176; McKeithan, for register of deeds, 96; Rourk, for sheriff, 112; Kirby, for treasurer, 120; Robinson, for Clerk of Superior Court, 213; Tharp, for coroner, 232; Leonard, for surveyor, 195; Patterson, for Congress, 347. The majorities for the State ticket are not yet obtainable but are about the same as Patterson's majority.

KENANSVILLE, N. C., November 6.—The official count gives Duplin to the Democracy in a vote of 1,584 to 715, or a majority of 869. Judge Clark is eight behind the ticket. Seventy per cent. of the registered vote was polled.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., November 6.—The official returns to-day from Wayne give the Judicial, Congressional and county tickets 200 Democratic majority.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Canady, of Scott's Hill, arrived yesterday to enjoy the Carnival.

— Mr. S. E. Memory and family, of Whiteville, are the guests of Dr. N. M. Culbreth.

— Mr. Richard W. Gray, Assistant Weather Observer at this station, has returned from Charlotte.

— Friends will regret to know that Mr. J. T. Gordon has been confined to his home with malarial fever ever since his father's death last week.

— The numerous friends of Dr. Wm. H. Green were glad to see him at his place of business yesterday after a severe indisposition with lumbago.

— Messrs. R. G. and L. V. Grady left yesterday morning for Seven Springs in response to a telegram announcing the critical illness of their mother.

— The following are here from Florence to attend the Carnival: Mrs. B. W. Butler, Miss Julia Willis, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Newman, Mrs. C. D. Bray, Messrs. John R. Horne, Monroe Berry and Eugene P. Smith.

— Among the merry Carnival visitors yesterday were Messrs. Carl McLean, of Maxton; Jas. W. McIntosh, of Laurinburg; J. A. Cavenaugh, of Wallace; T. S. Evans, of Cronly; J. C. Horne, of Magnolia, and Editor I. H. McNeill, of the Dunn *Democratic Banner*.

Crowds For the Carnival.

There were hundreds of Carnival visitors arriving by the various boats on the river yesterday. The *Compton* brought up 300 on a special trip from Southport; the *Wilmington* brought many, and the steamers *Highlander* and *Hurt*, which arrived during the day, brought hundreds from the Upper Cape Fear.

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FRIDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 7.

HELPING THE PLUNDERERS.

Choice beef in German cities costs by retail forty-four cents a pound. Choice beef in the principal cities of this country costs from twenty-five cents to thirty cents a pound. Less choice pieces cost somewhat less, but none is low-priced save those parts that a well-to-do person who is fond of dogs would hardly buy for his dog. This means that in Germany and in this country the average wage earner must eat but little meat, for the prices of all meats are gauged by the prices of beef. The power that puts up the price of one puts up the prices of others, and puts up the prices of substitutes too, so that high priced beef means not only high priced beef but high priced pork, mutton, fish, eggs, and other things that might take the place of beef. As there are combines on meats so there are combines on other food stuffs in this country and in other countries, and prices have gone up until the worker for wages finds himself at his wit's ends to eke his earnings out to provide the household necessaries, if he have a household.

This means that the masses of people in all those countries are being robbed and deprived of the food they ought to have, to benefit the few, not because it is necessary, but because the few have more influence with the lawmakers than the masses have. They influence the government and thus get legal sanction and authority to rob the people, who cannot help themselves. That is what a protective tariff in which protection is the main and revenue the incidental feature is.

We hold that it is more than a blunder, a crime to put it in the power of any man or any combination of men to control the supply of the necessaries of life and put their own prices upon them, with the sole object of increasing their own profits withouts any regard to fairness or just dealing. The reputation of a usurer has been an odious one in all the ages, but a simple usurer, who squeezes money out of the man who borrows his dollars, is a paragon of perfection compared with the soulless man or combine of men who practice extortion on the necessaries of life and help to starve their fellow man.

Let us take beef as an illustration, for that controls or influences the prices of other food stuffs. The two countries where the prices have gone highest and where the most complaint is heard are Germany and this country, both of which levy tariff duties on meats and on animals for slaughter, the alleged purpose of which is to "protect" the farmers and others who raise cattle, hogs, sheep, &c. Tariff duties are imposed on slaughtered meats to "protect" the butchers also. When the combines want to find an excuse for high prices they say that is on account of the scarcity of animals for slaughter, and why beef is so high is because there are not enough raised in the country, the demand exceeds the supply and that cattle raisers put up the prices accordingly. That is the reason given in Germany, that is the reason given in this country.

Assuming this to be true (although it is denied as far at least as this country is concerned), is not this proof that the protection given by the tariff has failed to accomplish what was intended, and is therefore a failure and useless? What good reason is there for keeping up the prohibitory duty when it does not accomplish its professed purpose, and the effect is to keep down the supply, run prices up and make it impossible for the masses of the people to provide meat for their tables, as they had been accustomed to do before the era of high prices.

In Germany there is a clamor by the people for the removal of the tariff duty on cattle, so that they might be brought in from other countries. So there is a demand in this country that the duties on live cattle be repealed so that they might be brought in from neighboring countries. Germany could get all the beef cattle needed from Russia, if not from other countries nearer by. We could get all the beef cattle we need from Mexico on one side and Canada on the other, and yet have a good market for domestic cattle. The butchers would not be injured by these importations. Their profits would be proportionately as large, because their cattle would not cost them as much and they could sell more meat because being cheaper the masses could afford to buy more, and then the combines could not arbitrarily put up prices because they would have competition and could not control the cattle market as they do now. But when this is proposed in Germany and in this country there is a whine or a howl against it by the beneficiaries of these prohibitory duties, who declare that their business would be injured by it, their profits cut too low, and therefore it should not be done, although prices may be beyond the reach of the average person and the masses may go hungry if they can't find cheaper substitutes for the meats they cannot buy. And the law makers listen to them and turn a deaf ear to the multitudes, who protest against extortion and demand fair play.

From a protective standpoint there might be some excuse for this refusal to listen to the demands of the multitudes if the protection given accomplished its alleged purpose, and fostered cattle raising so that enough to meet the demands for consumption were raised, but when it fails in this, as the meat combines declare it does, there is no valid reason nor decent excuse for keeping it up, and helping the combines to rob those who have money to buy and to stint or starve those who have not. This is a favoritism that is heartless, atrocious and wholely indefensible.

ROBBING OUR OYSTER BEDS.

The oyster, which was once found in abundance along our coast, is becoming a scarce article, and the quality as a general thing is not what it was a few years ago. There seems to have been an evasion of existing laws and regulations the result of which has been the practical destruction of some of our most prolific beds, where some years ago the oysters seemed to abound in inexhaustible quantities. The Newbern *Journal* has recently interviewed an oysterman on this subject, the substance of which is thus reported:

> Each Spring, for several years past, there has been a steady shipment of seed oysters from North Carolina to replenish the falling stock in Virginia waters. Boat after boat has passed the inspectors, who have proven most negligent in their duty, if not worse, in permitting such shipments.
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> One method has been for the shipper to go to Portsmouth and buy 500 bushels of good oysters, such as would legally pass according to law, then go to Stump Point or Roanoke and stow away 2500 bushels of seed oysters, which the law prohibits being dredged cover these last with a layer of the large oysters.
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> A superficial examination by an inspector made it easy to take away the entire cargo and then repeat the trick as often as the oysters were wanted.
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> These small oysters were bought for ten cents per tub, equal to about five pecks, and when taken to Virginia three tubs were made from each, netting three times the original cost to the shipper.
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> In the old dredging grounds, such as the place off Swan Quarter, where three years ago 500 bushels of oysters could be dredged a day, it is only possible now to dredge 50 bushels a day, and these oysters being very inferior. In all the former good oyster beds, the same rule applies.
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> And even more it is said that non-residents are coming in, notably at Elizabeth City, and are dredging and carrying away oysters from North Carolina waters.
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> These are only a few facts of the oyster situation in this State, but it is enough to show how a splendid natural industry has been destroyed, to the loss of thousands of people, directly, and taken from Eastern Carolina an immense business which should have been preserved and kept for the people of this State.

Some of the most famous oyster beds of Virginia and Maryland have been practically depleted in consequence of the indiscriminate draws upon them, and now the same thing is going on in our waters, where the same or a more destructive course is being pursued. The *Journal* earnestly urges the Legislature of this State to give this subject the attention it deserves, and take effective steps to protect our oyster beds now before it becomes too late. Properly guarded and conducted the oyster business of this State would bring in millions of dollars annually, and the beds with proper care and judicious management would be inexhaustible.

It is said that the favorite Chinese dish, "chop-suey," is becoming popular in this country. We haven't tried it yet, but for the benefit of the uninitiated we present the recipe. Take a lot of pork, chicken livers and gizzards. Chop 'em up. Then celery, mushrooms, green peas, chopped string beans, asparagus, and anything else you fancy. Put on top of the pork, &c., in a frying pan, cover with a lot of peanut oil, spiced, cook until it suits the taste, and you have a dish that will test the stalwartness of a Chinese or any other stomach.

Mr. Mitchell, a Montana full blood Indian, made a mistake when he utilized an old trunk in an outhouse for his savings bank. He was pretty well fixed and when he went to town the other day a couple of American gentlemen who didn't see what use an Indian had for money explored the outhouse, dived into the trunk and relieved Mr. Mitchell of the $22,000 in bills and coin which he had deposited there.

An Illinois man who paid another $300 for his daughter is suing for the money because the girl objected to the trade and ran away. These men were doubtless of a low order of people, but there is good deal of that kind of trading done in higher circles, where it isn't called buying and selling, and where the monetary consideration is larger.

Hon. Mr. Schwab is cutting a pretty wide swath in Europe and getting away with his money in a way that astonishes the natives over there and leads a good many of them to think that he is crazy.

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THE PIVOTAL STATE.

For some years, in fact even since the war, New York has been looked upon as the "pivotal" State in our Presidential elections. The Democrats as a general thing have been influenced in their nominations by New York sentiment and New York politicians, recognizing the necessity of carrying New York to win. But while the electoral vote of that State will continue to be a prize to to struggle for it has ceased to be a pivotal State, for elections may now be lost or won regardless of its vote, and with Democratic experience in the past, there is no apparent reason why Democrats should go far out of their way to play for it. It is to all intents and purposes as safely a Republican State as Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, and we had almost said Ohio.

Outside of Harlem the Republicans can get any majority they need to overcome any majority the Democrats may poll below Harlem, a fact well established by the majority they brought down Tuesday to overcome the unusually large majority for the Democratic ticket in New York, Brooklyn and other parts of the Greater New York. The Republicans have the machiney in the State, they know how to use it, they do use it, and so effectively that they will hold their grip on that State unless there should be some popular revulsion or revolution, things which sometimes happen when politicians are not looking for them.

The impression was with some that D. B. Hill made his active and aggressive fight in the past campaign to put himself in line for the Presidential nomination if he won. If so he has been much disappointed, for the result eliminates him as a conspicuous figure, and will send the candidate choosers in other ditions to seek the standard bearer, who will hardly be a New York man.

During the late campaign Editor Hearst, of the *Journal*, who was running for Congress in New York, found a sympathetic voter in one of the meetings he addressed. Hearst's oratorical apparatus was not built to talk to big crowds. His voice is weak. On this occasion one-half the audience couldn't hear him. One fellow who couldn't but was endowed with a megaphone voice yelled out: "Give it to 'em, Billy. I wish I had your money and you had my voice."

TOWN TOPICS.

Naples is a city of boodlers. It might properly be called the St. Louis of Europe.—Duluth Tribune.

It is a race between our captains of industry, Napoleons of finance and the ball team as to which is doing the most to keep Pittsburg in a conspicuous place on the map.—Pittsburg Times.

Boston newspapers are telling United States senators what is etiquette on street cars and in hotel cafes. Boston, by the way, seems to be the great American perpetual geyser of information.—Atlanta Constitution.

Will Investigate.

A remarkable case comes to light at Elizabeth, W. Va. An old man there by the name of G. W. Roberts had long suffered with incurable cancer. Everybody believed his case hopeless until he used Electric Bitters and applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The treatment cured him completely. Now everybody who knows of it is investigating Electric Bitters. It exerts a mighty power to expel biliousness, Kidney and Liver troubles, and it's a wonderful tonic for run-down systems. Don't fail to try it. Only 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Lumberton *Robesonian*: There has perhaps never been so small a per cent of the registered vote cast as in Tuesday's election.

— Fremont *Visitor*: The largest sweet potato we have seen this season was raised by Z. M. L. Peacock, a successful farmer near town. It was grown from a clipping of a vine set out the second week in July and weighed six and a half pounds. Adeline Cox, an industrious colored woman living just out of the edge of town, also raised some very fine ones. Two of them weighed ten and a half pounds; one five and a half and the other five pounds.

—Fayetteville *Observer*: The Observer regrets to record the death, at about noon to-day, of the venerable Samuel H. Steel, one of the most esteemed citizens of Fayetteville, where he was born aged about 84 years.— he Observer shares in the sorrow of the general community in the death of Dr. T. M. Hunter, who passed away at 6 o'clock this (Wednesday) morning at his residence on Dick. Dr. Hunter was in the prime of a life of exceptional success, having practiced his profession of dentistry in this city for many years. He was born in Halifax country in 1858, and was therefore about 44 years of age.

— Statesville *Landmark*: Mr. J. A. Harbin grows pomegranates; not the variety that grows on vines, but the natives of the Orient that grows on trees or shrubs. Mr. Harbin has in his yard a pomegranate tree that is now well filled with fruit and is the admiiration of alll beholders. The fruit is about as large as a good-sized apple or orange, has a hard reddish-yellow rind enclosing many large seeds, each enveloped in a sub-acid red pulp. Mr. Harbin's tree is for ornamental purposes and the growth has been preserved in the Harbin family for many years. From the pulp of the pomegranate a cooling drink can be made and in Persia wine is produced from it. The rind and the flowers are used as a powerful astringent. The tree is a native of western Asia and northern Africa and is cultivated in other warm climates. The pomegranate is mentioned in the Bible as one of the fruits of the Land of Promise.

CURRENT COMMENT

— Cuban statesmen apparently continue to labor under the delusion that this country owes them something. So far as the records show, about the only things we have taken from the Cubans were yellow fever and the Spanish bayonets.—*Richmond News, Dem.*

— Figure and theorize as one may, the Albany *Herald* finds that the farmers who give attention to raising hogs and beef cattle are prosperous, while those who stick to the all-cotton plan and produce no meat on their farms are not.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

— The capital invested in railroads in this country is said to be twelve billion dollars—a sum as great as the entire wealth of the country forty-two years ago, when four million slaves were held as property. There has been wonderful development along all lines of industry, during the past four decades, but it is doubtful if any single industry can show greater progress than the one named.—*Norfolk Ledger, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS

— I ain't got no doubts but dat Solomon wuz a wise man; but he wuz mightily married!—*Exchange.*

— Lady—A gentleman called, you say? Did he leave any name? Parlor Maid—Oh, yes'm. He said it was immaterial.—*Town Topics.*

— She—I know that it is not so, but I cannot help feeling that it is. He—I don't care whether it's so or not—I don't believe it.—*Life.*.

— Clarke—And you dabbed in stocks, eh? Were you a bull or a bear? Deahborn—I was neither; they made a money of me.—*Chicago Daily News.*

— This odd notice of the departure of an Arkansas citizen: "Elected to the Legislature six times, but died in hope of a glorious hereafter."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

— Agreed—"There is nothing," said the aggressive temperance advocate sharply, "like cold water." "Thank goodness there isn't!" mildly replied the genial Kentuckian.—*Washington Times.*

RAILWAY TIES.

The failure of the high speed experiments on German railroads has been attributed to the lightness of the rail.

Trolley lines in the western states do a large freight business and carry milk and garden truck for the farmers.

Five hundred foot rails are in use on the Michigan Central railroad. This road has been experimenting with them for years, and other lines are watching the result with great interest.

The experimental underground electric railway of Paris, which, although but eight and three-quarters miles in length, handles 140,000 fares a day, has been so satisfactory that two important branches will be added to it during the current year.

PULPIT AND PEW.

The Lutheran ministerium of Pennsylvania has decided against the use of individual communion cups.

The Mormons claim to have now 2,000 missionaries in the field and to have made last year 20,000 converts.

Rev. John P. Clyde, pastor of the Congregational church of Eldora, Ia., is the champion half mile runner of the state.

Professor John S. Sewall, D. D., for the last twenty-three years occupant of the chair of sacred rhetoric, homiletics, pastoral theology and sociology in the Bangor Theological seminary, has handed his resignation to the trustees to take effect a year from this June.

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FRILLS OF FASHION.

Real lace scarfs with matching veils are seen on some of the broad French picture hats.

Among the pretty and serviceable summer dresses are those of dark blue swiss muslin dotted with white and made up over white batiste or taffeta.

The flat sailor of rough white straw with a wide crown completely covered with flowers of the small varieties is a novelty. Lace is draped about the brim.

Louisine silks and silk and satin foulards are still greatly in favor as fabrics for dressy wear, and rows of lace or velvet ribbon and tucking in every form are the usual finish for gowns of this sort.

Bodices cut in half low rounding shape in the neck, with abundant ruffles of lace or chiffon at the edges of the elbow sleeves, are a feature of many of the latest gowns for midsummer wear.

The hip yoke of lace, insertion or tucking, or often of all three combined, is one of the French fancies of transparent evening gowns, and it is quite evident that it is to be carried into the summer as one of the favored modes.—New York Post.

BETWEEN HEATS.

Geers is at Cleveland with the Village Farm stable.

There is a promising good sister of Walnut Hall (3), 2:16¼, by Conductor, 2:14¼, called Little Imp.

Russellwood, 2:14¼, the ex-Pittsburg matinee trotter, is now the property of W. F. Deakyne of Philadelphia.

Splan's heavily staked green trotter, Bi-Flora, by Expedition, 2:15¾, is owned by E. W. Oglebay of Cleveland, O.

It is reported that A. B. Spreckels has decided to send Hulda, 2:08½, east and breed her to Cresceus, 2:02¼, in 1903.

Harold H., 2:04, that swift Canadian pacing gelding, is preparing for the grand circuit at his home town of Wingham, Ont.

The stallion El Palo, 2:27½, the last of the get of Palo Alto, 2:08¾, to take a record in 1901, stands 16.1 hands and weighs 1,250 pounds.

The great brood mare Salinas Belle, dam of the pacers Dictatress, 2:12¼, and Ivolo, 2:20¼, and trotters Ivoneer, 2:27, and Monteer, 2:30, died recently in California.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It is not the automobile, but the fool who runs it, that the public objects to.—Chicago Record-Herald.

England may be willing to turn the next little difficulty over to The Hague court of arbitration.—Pittsburg Gazette.

What we want to know is whether Professor Moore's new cooling machine works the same way as a weather prediction.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Professor Alexander Graham Bell's airship experiments ought to be something practical if not altogether practicable. The inventor of the telephone is no pipe dreamer.—Boston Herald.

It seems that the people of Australia are thinking much more about their own affairs than about those that concern the empire at large. While this is perfectly natural, it is suggestive of future independence for Australia rather than of imperial federation.—Denver Republican.

Two Sides.

"You'd make a pretty good clerk," said the employer sarcastically, "if you only had a little more common sense."

"Indeed!" replied the clerk. "But did it ever occur to you that if I had a little more common sense I wouldn't be a clerk at all?"—Philadelphia Record.

First Business Lesson.

"What is the first thing a young business man should learn?" was asked of the successful one.

"That mailing bills is not collecting money," was the prompt reply.—Indianapolis News.

A Great Pity.

The Scotch are great users of snuff. It was a Scotchman who once asked a big nosed stranger if he took snuff and, receiving a negative reply, remarked: "What a pity. You have such a grand accommodation."

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ROSIN—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel for strained and $1.30 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

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Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar steady at $1.35; crude turpentine quiet at $1.00@2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	65
Rosin	234
Tar	169
Crude turpentine	129

Receipts same day last year—43 casks spirits turpentine, 114 barrels rosin, 133 barrels tar, 61 barrels crude turpentine.

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Low middling	7⅝	" "
Middling	8	" "
Good middling	8 3-16	" "

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CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 10c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Money on call was firm at 5@6 per cent.; market closing, bid and asked, at 5@6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½ per cent. Sterling exchange was firm; actual business in bankers' bills at 486.875@487 for demand and 483.625@488 for sixty days. The posted rates to-day were 484½ and 487½@488. Commercial bills 483@@483.50. Bar silver 49⅞. Mexican dollars quoted at 39⅛. Government bonds steady. State bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 109¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 109¾; U. S. 3's, registered, 108¼; do. coupon, 108¼; U. S. 4's, new registered, 136½; do. coupon, 136½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 110¾; do. coupon, 110¾; U. S. 5's, registered, 104¼; do. coupon, 104¼; Southern Railway, 5's, 119. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 104¾. Chesapeake & Ohio 48; Manhattan L 136; New York Central 153¾; Reading 64½; do. 1st preferred 86¾; do. 2nd preferred 86; St. Paul 185⅜; do. pref'd, 193; Southern Railway 35¾; do. pref'd 92¾; Amalgamated Copper ex dividend 62¾; People's Gas 102½; Sugar 118⅜; Tennessee Coal and Iron 63¼; U. S. Leather 13⅝; do. pref'd, 90¼; Western Union 90⅝; U. S. Steel 38⅞; do. pref'd 86⅞; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 65⅞; do. preferred, 120; Standard Oil, 677@680.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 6.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 29¼; do. preferred, 46¾; bonds, fours, 81¾.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Rosin firm. Spirits turpentine quiet.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 6.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 6.—Spirits turpentine firm at 52@52½c; receipts 661 casks; sales 1,145 casks; exports 224 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 2,846 barrels; sales 1,097 barrels; exports 508 barrels Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 35, E, $1 40; F, $1 45; G, $1 55; H, $1 75; I, $2 00; K $2 50; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 15.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The cotton market opened easy with prices one to six points lower, under tremendous liquidation and vigorous bear selling, and, following the call, further declined with pressure active from both sides. A crop estimate of 11,000,000 to 12,000,000 bales by Neill and failure of frost predictions to materialize over the western belt combined to undermine long cotton and gave the shorts the incentive needed to attack the list in general. The pool faction increased its short account in March and May. Later in the morning there was a quick rally from 8.04 to 8.14 for March, other options working in accordance. A cold wave prediction for the western belt to-night and reports that the crop movement will soon taper off, decidedly helped to rally the market. A statement by the census department at Washington in which the total crop thus far ginned was placed at about 6,000,000 bales and this amount was regarded as 60.1 per cent. of the total yield, failed to create friendliness toward the market. The rally was followed by a heavy selling movement in the afternoon under which prices crumbled rapidly, March dropping to 8.04c. The close was steady at the decline with prices six to eleven points lower. Total sales were estimated at 400,000 bales, well scattered through the list.

NEW YORK, Nov 6.—Cotton dull at 8.50c; net receipts 333 bales; gross receipts 339 bales; stock — bales

Spot cotton closed dull; middling uplands 8.50c; middling gulf 8.75c; sales 420 bales.

Futures closed steady at decline; November 8.06, December 8.17, January 8.23, February 8.03, March 8.05, April 8.04, May 8.05, June 8.05, July 8.05, August 7.93.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 50,563 bales; exports to Great Britain 13,332 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 5,300 bales; stock 700,804 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 285,234 bales; exports to Great Britain 96,273 bales; exports to France 6,995 bales; exports to the Continent 6,300 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,544,234 bales; exports to Great Britain 704,603 bales; exports to France 201,052 bales; exports to the Continent 806,261 bales.

Nov. 6.—Galveston, easy at 7 15-16c, net receipts 11,769 bales; Norfolk, dull at 8c, net receipts 2,415 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, nominal, at 8.50, net receipts 52 bales; Wilmington, firm at 8¼c, net receipts 2,294 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8.75c, net receipts 258 bales; Savannah, easy at 7¾c, net receipts 6,893 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 7 15-16c, net receipts 20,672 bales; Mobile, easy at 7 11-16c, net receipts 72 bales; Memphis, steady at 7 13-16, net receipts 4,999 bales; Augusta, quiet at 8 1-16c, net receipts 2,064 bales; Charleston, firm at 7¾c; net receipts 599 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Flour was quiet and about steady. Rye flour dull. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 76⅝c. Options closed easy at ⅛@¼ net decline. Sales included: March closed —; May closed 77⅞c; December closed 77⅞c. Corn—Spot dull; No. 2, 65c. Options closed unsettled at a partial ⅛c net advance: February closed 49⅝c; May closed 46⅞c; December closed 55¼c. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2, 34c. Options—December closed 35½c. Lard firm; Western steam $11 60; November closed $11 60, nominal; refined firm; continent $11 90; South American quoted at $12 25. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5½c; mild quiet; Cordova 7¾@12c. Sugar—Raw quoted firm; fair refining 3⅛c; centrifugal, 96 test 3⅝c; refined unsettled. Potatoes firm; Long Island $2 00@2 12; South Jersey sweets $1 75@2 75; Jerseys $1 75@2 00; New York and Western per 180 lbs., $1 75@2 00. Butter irregular; extra creamery 25c; State dairy 18@24c. Cheese—quoted quiet but firm; new State full cream, small colored fancy old 12½c; new 12½c; small white old 12½; new 12½c. Peanuts easy; fancy hand-picked 5@5½; other domestic 3½@5½. Cabbages easier; Long Island per 100 $1 50@2 00. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 12c. Eggs irregular; State and Pennsylvania average best 24@25c. Cotton seed oil was inactive but steady. Prime crude nominal; prime crude f. o. b. mills 27@28c; prime summer yellow 34c; off summer yellow 33c; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40½c; prime meal $27 00@28 00 nominal.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Dullness prevailed on the Board of Trade to-day and wheat was lower, December closing ½c down. December corn closed ⅛@½c lower and oats unchanged. January provisions closed from 5c lower to 5@7½c higher.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 70@71c; No. 3 spring 65@59¾c; No. 2 red 70@70½c. Corn—No. 2 54c; No. 2 yellow 55c. Oats—No. 2 28@28¼c; No. 2 white —; No. 3 white 30@33c. Rye—No. 2 48½c. Mess pork, per barrel, $16 87½@17 00. Lard, 100 lbs., $11 20. Short rib sides, loose, $10 50@10 75. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 75@10 00. Short clear sides, boxed, $9 75@10.00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 70¾; December 71⅝@71¾, 71⅝, 71, 71½c; May 73¾@73¾, 73⅜, 72⅞@73,73¼. Corn—No. 2 November 53⅜, 53⅝, 53¼, 52½c; December 51⅛@51¼, 51¼, 50¾, 50⅜@50⅝c; May 41⅜@41¾, 42⅜, 41¼, 42@42⅛c. Oats—No. 2 December, new, 29⅜@29⅞, 30, 29⅝ 29¾, 29½c; May 30¾, 31¼, 30¾, 31c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $15 50, 15 55, 15 45, 15 45; May $14 67½ 14 67½, 14 55, 14 55. Lard, per 100 lbs—November $10 95, 10 97½, 10 90, 10 95; December $9 87½, 10 00, 9 87½, 10 00; January $9 42½, 9 50, 9 40, 9 45; May $8 67½, 8 70, 8 57½, 8 60. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $8 30, 8 30, 8 22½, 8 22½; May $7 85, 7 85, 7 80, 7 80.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 6.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business, prices eight points lower; American middling fair 4 90-100d; good middling 4 60-100d; middling 4 52-100d; low middling 4 42-100d; good ordinary 4 30-100d; ordinary 4 18-100d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,100 bales American. Receipts 3,000 bales, including 2,700 bales American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady; American middling (g o c) November 4 38-100d buyer; November and December 4 34-100d buyer; December and January 4 33-100d buyer; January and February 4 32-100d seller; February and March 4 32-100d buyer; March and April 4 32-100d seller; April and May 4 32-100d seller; May and June 4 32-100d seller; June and July 4 32-100d seller; July and August 4 32-100d seller.

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EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

BREMEN—British steamship Holmlee, 5,416 bales cotton, 2,746,592 pounds, valued at $233,500; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

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Josephine, 303 tons, Ayres, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Edward Stewart, 353 tons, Winslow, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Britania, (Br) 263 tons, Nickerson, George Harriss, Son & Co.

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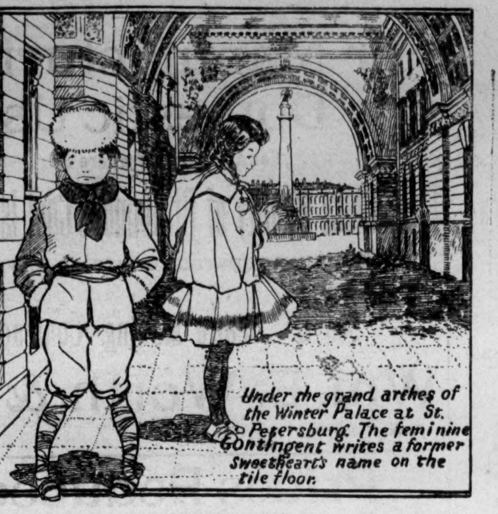
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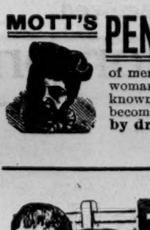
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MERE MEN.

A. S. Cook, a merchant of Boston, controls 400 square miles of hunting land in Maine.

Senator Hanna is planning a shooting trip to his Georgia game preserves when congress adjourns.

Dr. N. C. Morse, president of the Iowa Association of Railway Surgeons, is the heaviest physician in America, weighing 325 pounds.

Congressman Prince of Galesburg, Ill., and Congressman Lloyd of Missouri so closely resemble each other that one is frequently taken for the other.

C. K. Sober of Lewisburg, Pa., is known as the "chestnut king" because of his great and successful ventures in raising for the market an improved variety of chestnuts.

The O'Conor Don would be legitimist claimant to the Hibernian throne did it exist. He claims to be able to trace his lineage in unbroken succession to the last of the Irish kings.

Professor Virchow, the German physiologist, celebrated his eightieth birthday recently by taking a double dose of borax to prove that its taking was a benefit to the health. He has taken a dose of borax daily for years past.

Governor Wood brought away from Cuba a souvenir in the form of a machete, presented to him by veterans of the Cuban war. The hilt has the Cuban coat of arms and a single gold star on one side and the general's initials on the other in gold.

Carterville, Mo., claims the distinction of being the home of the youngest thirty-second degree Mason in Missouri, if not, indeed, in the United States. The young man said to be entitled to this honor is Carl Cass, who lacks several months of being twenty-two years old.

Mr. James Glaisher, the English meteorologist and aeronaut, is now ninety-three. It was during 1862-66 that the veteran made his famous scientific balloon ascents, twenty-eight of them altogether, one of which resulted in a height of over seven miles being attained.

PEN, CHISEL AND BRUSH.

Thomas Hardy has refused to allow the publication of a pocket edition of his novels.

Miss Williams, a sculptor of Atlanta, Ga., has just finished a bust of Cardinal Gibbons and has placed it on exhibition in New Orleans.

Booth Tarkington says that when he returns from his bridal tour to Europe he will turn farmer, as he wants the rest and quiet that only the country can give.

Mrs. Lily Martin Spencer, the artist who died recently, was prominent fifty years ago, the critics having nothing but the highest praise for her work. She was the daughter of a political exile from France and was a student at the New York Academy of Design.

A French painter of historical pictures, M. Henri Dupray, has finished fifty-two battle scenes in which Englishmen are engaged, beginning with the battle of Hastings and ending with the relief of Peking in 1900. The pictures are exhibited in the Dore gallery, London.

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COLLEGE AND SCHOOL.

John W. Abercrombie, a native of Alabama and relatively a young man, has been elected to the presidency of the state university.

Women teachers in Prussian schools get, besides free dwelling, only $175 a year to begin with. This is raised to $390 after thirty-one years of service.

Professor Pupin, inventor of the ocean telephone, began his career in this country as a Turkish bath attendant. He is now a professor at Columbia university.

Caius college, Cambridge, England, is pronounced "Kees" college. The founder of the college was John Kees. As an undergraduate he was named Caius since Latin had to be used, but, however he wrote the name, he was always spoken of as "Kees," as are his descendants to this day.

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CROWN POINTS.

King Oscar II. of Sweden and Norway has asked admission as a member of the Astronomical Society of France.

King Alexander of Servia is reported to have said that he still hopes for an heir, but if disappointed will adopt a young child as the Servian crown prince.

The German empress, who has always taken great interest in ecclesiastical matters in Prussia and has been the promoter of church building in the capital as well as in the provinces, is "patroness" of no fewer than thirty-four churches.

The finest collection of Russian sables in the world is owned by the dowager empress of Russia. The lining of one of her coats cost $50,000. She dresses in black and devotes much of her time to works of charity.

POINTS OF LAW.

An unincorporated church society is held, in Stewart versus White (Ala.), 55 L. R. A. 211, to be incapable of acquiring title by adverse possession.

A contract by a man to support a woman who is about to marry his son in case the son fails to do so is held, in Wright versus Wright (Ia.), 55 L. R. A. 261, not to be contrary to public policy.

Where the carrier is the agent of the seller and the merchandise sold is damaged in transit it is the duty of the purchaser to immediately notify the seller, and, failing to do so before using or reselling, the purchaser cannot set up any claim against the seller. (50 At. 925.)

PERT PERSONALS.

Russell Sage is one of those rich men who believe that they cannot afford to be sick.—Baltimore American.

Being divorced will make no particular difference to Mr. Lease. He has had to support himself for several years now.—Kansas City Journal.

Rev. Dr. Hillis of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, is going to take an ocean voyage because he is unable to sleep. How he must envy some of his congregation.—Boston Transcript.

If England were desirous of breaking up the cordial understanding, it could secure immediate results by mentioning a person of the name of Astor as a possible embassador to America.—Washington Star.

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The caved in hat is copied from the feminine hat. Next year it may be carrying feathers or birds or flowers.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The men who are wearing panama hats this summer and who are gloating over their fellow citizens who have not "the price" will be wondering next summer how they are going to get their money's worth out of something that has been passed by the autocracy of fashion.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Good black suits for men as low as $5, $6 and $7 a suit. Strictly high grade tailor made clothing for men at $8, $10, $12.50, $15 and $18 a suit.

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WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.25 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.18 a m
Ar Chester	1.35 a m	10.22 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	6.13 a m	2.50 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.50 a m	4.55 p m

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Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	2.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth Ar Norfolk	7.15 a m	5.35 p m

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m	7.40 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.30 a m	11.00 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.25 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m	4.55 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m	5.45 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.36 p m	9.30 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.25 p m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 8.50 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 33, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

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Doctors and Insurance.

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A Ring on Her Toe.

A woman without arms has been married at Christchurch, New Zealand. The ring was placed upon the fourth toe of her left foot.

Turkish Soup.

Turkish soup is made with a quart of veal stock, adding two tablespoonfuls of pearl sago soaked an hour; cook until transparent; beat two egg yolks and add half cupful of cream, adding both to the soup; season with salt and pepper. The soup must not boil after the eggs are added, as it will curdle.

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Schedule in Effect Sept. 15, 1902.

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DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.25 A. M., Lanes 11 26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.20 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.42 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 48—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.53 P. M., Petersburg 6.46 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 6.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.28 A. M., Philadelphia 4.05 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., *Boston 3.30 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.25 P. M. No. 62—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M., Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M., Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 1.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M., Weldon 1.50 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M., Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. No. 41—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. No. 63—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 7.30 P M No. 52—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 P M No. 50—From Charleston Florence.

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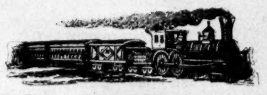

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P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	....
....	4 22	Kinston	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 03	7 07	Morehead City	7 28	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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Innes and his band is the Academy's attraction for to-morrow night. This splendid organization is composed of fifty-five musicians of the first rank, and also a number of soloists. The overture "Robespierre," which forms a conspicuous feature of the Innes programme, is a work which is distinguished for its tragic and descriptive beauty. It is the work of the famous composer Litolff and describes all the fury of the strenuous period of the French Revolution. A marked feature is the vivid musical picture which the work gives of the guillotining of the great Chief of the Reign of Terror.

The sale of seats will commence at Plummer's at 8 o'clock this morning. All seats, except the rows of A and B, downstairs, which are front rows, will be $1.50. The general admission will be 75 cents.

CLAIMS OF REPUBLICANS

That They Will Have a Majority of Twenty-Six in the Next House.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Congressman Overstreet, secretary of the Republican Congressional Committee, announced to-day that 206 Republican members had been elected beyond all doubt; that the Democrats had elected 170, and that there were ten districts where on account of incomplete returns the result was doubtful.

These ten districts are: First California, Twenty-fourth Illinois, Fifth Minnesota, Eighth and Tenth North Carolina, Eighth Alabama, the Nevada, Ninth Virginia and Thirteenth and Sixteenth Missouri. The first five named are now represented in Congress by Republicans and the last five by Democrats. The Republican candidates in both the doubtful North Carolina districts, Mr. Overstreet said, had wired to-day that they were elected; also, the Republican nominee in the Twenty-fourth Illinois district. This left seven districts altogether in doubt.

With 206 members in Congress, the Republicans would have a majority of 26.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Arrangements for His Trip South—Will Leave Washington Monday Night.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

WASHINGTON, November 6.—President Roosevelt will leave here next Monday at midnight, and will not return to Washington until after the reception to Vice Governor Luke Wright, of Tennessee, at Memphis, Nov. 19th. He will be present at the dedication of the Chamber of Commerce building in New York on Tuesday, and Tuesday night will make a speech at the Chamber of Commerce dinner. The next day he will go West and South. His exact itinerary has not been announced, but it is believed that he contemplates a bear hunt in one of the Southern States before going to Memphis. Upon his return he will stop in Washington only one day as he has accepted an invitation to attend the Union League Club banquet in Philadelphia, November 22.

VENEZUELA'S REVOLUTION.

Reported Victory of Government Forces Over Insurgents Was Incorrect

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

WILLEMSTAD, ISLAND OF CARACOA, Nov. 6.—The report of a great victory over the insurgents by the government of Venezuela, was incorrect. The priests refused to ring the bells of the churches in celebration of the alleged defeat of the land forces and the police were compelled to ring them. The revolutionary army simply withdrew from San Mateo and on Friday last passed through Villa de Cura, going towards Cua, which commands the road to Los Teques, where 2,000 revolutionists are now engaging a government force which protected the executive of Venezuela, whose whereabouts is now unknown.

STORM ON PACIFIC COAST.

Eight Men Drowned and Vessels Wrecked on Nome Beach.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SEATTLE, WASH., Nov. 6.—No less than eight men were drowned, three vessels driven ashore and practically every lighter on Nome Beach was wrecked in a storm that commenced on Tuesday, October 14, and continued throughout the day.

A dozen or more people thrown into the surf were rescued by the life-saving crews. The schooner Louis, the steamer Elk and the launch Fleetwing were among the larger craft wrecked on the beach.

The Siamese Ranat.

The Siamese have an instrument which they call the ranat, a species of harmonicon, with seventeen different wooden keys, united by cords and resting upon a stand, each strip of wood giving a different note. The instrument is played with two wooden hammers.

How We Increase.

It is believed that the world's population is increasing at the rate of nearly 6,000,000 a year. The most populous continent is Asia.

A Floral Tent.

Construct a floral tent in this manner: Connect the tall center stake with the low stakes surrounding it in a circle or triangle by lengths of stout twine. Train morning glories, Japanese hop vines or jack and the beanstalk along the strings, water generously, and the thing is done.

A Runaway Bicycle,

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, of Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn Ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY's drug store. †

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

SENSATION IN THE MOLINEUX TRIAL.

A Woman Testifies It Was Not Molineux Who Mailed the Poison Package.

WIFE OF A POLICE OFFICER.

Said That Harry Cornish Looked Very Much Like the Man—Cross-Examination of the Witness—Hand-Writing Experts Testify.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The greatest sensation in the second trial of Roland B. Molineux, charged with the murder of Mrs. Adams, came late to-day when Mrs. Hannah Stephenson, the wife of a Brooklyn policeman, was called to the stand by the defence and testified positively that Molineux was not the man who mailed the now famous poison package at the general postoffice on the evening of December 23, 1898. Then the witness partially identified Harry Cornish, who was asked to stand up in court, as the man whom she saw standing in front of her in the line at the postoffice and holding in his hand a package addressed to "Mr. Harry Cornish, Knickerbocker." That was all she saw. Her identification of Cornish was not positive. She said he looked very much like the man, but hesitated before replying affirmatively when asked if she did not think he was the man. The witness' account of her movements on the evening of December 23d and her reason for not appearing at the first trial were given in detail.

The prosecution on cross-examination brought out the fact that Mrs. Stephenson had suffered from attacks of nervous prostration within the last two years, and had carefully read the details of the former trial. The questions of the assistant district attorney tended to show that an effort was to be made to prove insanity or delusion under hysteria. It is also said that an effort will be made to prove an alibi for Cornish. Mrs. Stephenson was on the stand when court adjourned until to-morrow.

When the court opened to-day in the Molineux trial, David M. Carvelho, the handwriting expert, who was on the stand when adjournment was taken last night, resumed his place in the witness chair. He said he did not believe that Molineux wrote the poison package wrapper or any of the disputed writings, and then in great detail he explained to the jury his reasons for his opinions.

After the recess several witnesses testified that Molineux did not write the poison package address. These witnesses were Clarence Foote, David W. Torrey, Samuel H. McDowell and George Duncan, handwriting experts from banks; E. D. Bushnell, who was chairman of the Knickerbocker Athletic Club house committee and had seen Molineux write; Prof. George Golday, of Princeton University, who had correspondence with Molineux, and Samuel Pittinger, cashier of the New York Athletic Club.

Louis Jacobson, who worked in a New York drug store, testified that he knew Cornish and Mrs. Rogers well, and that he frequently saw them together. He said he had sold bromo seltzer to Mrs. Rogers. Cornish in his testimony swore he had never tasted bromo seltzer, and Mrs. Rogers said she had never bought any of the stuff.

Mrs. Annie Stephenson, of Brooklyn, the eagerly awaited witness who says she saw the poison package mailed by a man not Molineux, was called late in the afternoon.

Men and women stood on their seats to see her, but order was quickly restored in the court room.

Replying to a question as to what she did Friday, December 23, 1898, Mrs. Stephenson said she went to the main postoffice in New York to mail a package and got in line with other persons. A man in front of her with a package aroused her curiosity because he seemed very nervous and she saw the name "Cornish" and the words "Knickerbocker Club" on the package. She said the man left the postoffice and she did not know where he went after that. The poison package wrapper was shown to the witness and she said the address looked like the one she saw in the postoffice. Mrs. Stephenson said she attended the coroner's inquest and saw Molineux. She was sure he was not the man and told her husband she ought to make known her knowledge. He persuaded her that there was no occasion for her to mix up in the matter.

When the trial was on she went to offer her testimony but was shut off by the decision of the lawyers to offer no defence. Then after Molineux's conviction she sent word of the evidence she had to give to General Molineux.

"Is that the man you saw with the package in the postoffice?" asked ex-Governor Black, as Molineux stood up. "It is not," said Mrs. Stephenson with added emphasis.

"Do you think you could recognize the man who mailed the package?" asked Mr. Osborne in opening his cross-examination. "I think I can."

"Do you say Cornish is that man?" "I say he looks like him."

Cornish stood up at the invitation of the assistant district attorney and he and the witness regarded each other steadily.

"Is that the man?" Mr. Osborne said. "It looks very much like him," Mrs. Stephenson replied.

"But is it?" "To the best of my recollection it is."

Mrs Stephenson said it was at the first trial that she first recognized Cornish as the man who mailed the package. She testified that there were three stamps on the package, and the wrapper was put before her. It had five stamps on it, and witness said she probably had noticed three of them which were in a straight line at the top and had overlooked the two lower ones.

Replying to questions by the assistant district attorney witness said she had been ill with nervous prostration and she read all the newspaper stories of the death of Mrs. Adams.

Witness was asked to read the wrapper, but said she could not, having left her reading glasses at home. She denied that her sanity was ever questioned. She said she had asked for divine instructions as to what to do in this case, and had prayed.

On direct examination she said she prayed every day for divine guidance.

Court adjourned at this point until to-morrow.

The Model Flour Mill at Nashville, Tenn., and a large wheat elevator adjoining, were completely destroyed by fire yesterday. The total loss approximates $240,000, which is partly covered by insurance.

For Whooping Cough use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

WAITING FOR THE OFFICIAL RETURNS.

Democratic State Committee of New York Issue Statement of Its Position.

VIOLATION OF LAW ALLEGED.

Will Be Thoroughly Investigated by Representatives of the Party at Meetings of the Canvassing Boards of Counties of the State

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—John A. Mason, secretary of the Democratic State Committee, said to-day:

"There is nothing new to add to our position. We neither concede nor claim anything. We are receiving the official returns gradually. Until we know something of the official figures we can not say a word. There are circumstances connected with the election that we are looking into and we may not be through with them when we have the full returns in."

"What are the circumstances?" Mr. Mason was asked.

"Well, the matter of defective ballots and protests, and some others I'm not ready to mention."

"If the official returns justifies our suspicions," said Mr. Mason, "we would go before the county canvassers in counties up the State when they meet on Tuesday next. The next step would be to appeal to the State board of canvassers, if we considered that justice was not being done us, and after that we would have to go to the courts. Of course, I'm not saying that we will have to do this. That is only the *modus operandi* if we are justified in making a contest."

Chairman Dunn, of the Republican State Committee, said to-day that he was paying no attention to the charges of the Democrats. He said that there was no doubt of Odell's victory by a plurality of 12,508.

Chairman Frank Campbell, of the Democratic State Committee, Secretary John A. Mason and Elliot Danforth were in conference this evening. Mr. Campbell afterwards issued this statement of the position of the State committee upon the results of the election:

"After having carefully examined the returns gathered by John A. Mason, secretary of the Democratic State Committee, as filed in the several county clerks' offices in the different counties of the State, it appears on face of the returns that Mr. Odell has a plurality of 9,122. These figures do not include in some of the counties the vote cast for the Greater New York Democracy ticket which has on it the name of Bird S. Coler for governor. This will materially reduce this apparent plurality.

"We claim the election by a safe majority of John Cunneen as attorney general and the re-election of Jno. Clinton Gray, of the court of appeals.

"We have reliable information of thousands of defective ballots being cast, and in certain districts where the returns were strongly Republican, the ballots were burned by the inspectors immediately after they were counted, which is a direct violation of law, as they should be kept six months by the proper officials before they should be destroyed. These facts, and all others, will be thoroughly investigated by representatives of the party, who will appear before the canvassing boards in all the counties of the State on next Tuesday, to see that an honest count is had, and until that time the actual result cannot be stated."

Mr. Campbell would add nothing to the above statement. The dismantling of the State headquarters followed soon after the issuance of the statement.

WARM WIRELETS.

The torpedo boat flotilla left Key West yesterday for Cape Haytien, on they way to Culebra.

The big floating dock which the U. S. government purchased from Spain at Havana is being towed from that place to Pensacola.

The Navy Department has been notified that Miss Ella Sealy, the daughter of a Galveston banker, has been selected to act as sponsor of the gunboat Galveston.

Thick Gravy.

For a thick gravy fry a minced onion in butter to a dark brown color, stir into it one ounce flour, stir well, then add half pint of stock, pepper and salt to taste and a little catchup. Stir while all boil for a few minutes, then strain and serve.

Tobacco Plant.

The Nicotiana affinis, or sweet scented tobacco plant, should be in every garden. It attains a height of two feet under good conditions, bears an abundance of large, fragrant, pure white blossoms and is sufficiently hardy. The plants, if cut back at the time of the autumn potting, will bloom all winter.

The Indian Vina.

The Indian vina is a bar of hollow bamboo, to which are fastened two empty gourds. It is strung with eight wires, five of which are provided with movable frets.

Double Headed Reptiles.

Double headed snakes have been known to occur, and in a German journal Dr. Collin of Berlin describes and figures a double tailed earthworm and mentions four cases of such malformations. Double tailed lizards have occurred; also double headed and double tailed fishes.

Flour Consumption.

The consumption of flour in the United States is about one barrel a year to every man, woman and child in the country.

Nonesuch.

Nonesuch is made of the yoke of one egg, a little salt and flour enough to make a stiff dough; roll on a floured board as thin as possible; cut with large biscuit cutter or in strips two inches by four; drop into hot fat until brown, drain on paper and sprinkle with powdered sugar.

For the Garden.

For the "perfectly hopeless" spot or corner of the garden invest in mixed portulaca seeds. A little fertilizer will induce them to thrive in the driest of sand. The springing plants do not mind hot winds, dryness or the most fervid of sunshine. Sow seed as soon as the ground is warm.

Naval Big Guns.

In the United States navy the largest guns outside of those on monitors are thirteen inch. On the monitors the largest are fifteen inch.

Grapevines.

If mildew appears on the grapevines, dust the affected vines with flour of sulphur. It should be used at once as soon as the first signs appear and should be dusted all over the vines.

FEMININE CHAT.

Charlotta Crabtree, otherwise "Lotta," is living quietly in New York and is said to be contemplating marriage.

Miss Hetty F. Watt celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of service as a schoolteacher in the Medford (Mass.) schools on June 10.

Miss Isabella Dunn, an Englishwoman in Constantinople, has turned Mohammedan, previous to becoming the second wife of a Turkish officer.

Mrs. Sarah E. Howell of Atlanta went crazy over religion, talked about it almost incessantly for sixty-eight hours on a stretch and then died of exhaustion.

The Countess of Warwick is writing a history of Warwick castle and its owners from Saxon and Norman times to the close of the reign of Queen Victoria.

Fannie Crosby, now eighty-nine years of age and blind, but still working, has written more than 5,000 hymns. She has recently written her first music, her previous work having been confined to the words.

Mrs. John Stranoch has given a copy of the New Testament in Chinese to the Princeton Theological seminary. It is a facsimile of the one recently presented to the empress dowager of China and is probably the only one of its kind in America.

Miss Maud Dennison of Chicago is a harness maker and an expert in the business, in which she has been engaged for four years. She is the only woman holding membership in an organization composed of leather workers on horse goods and numbering 10,000 members.

Mrs. Helen Marie Hinton, widow of John W. Hinton, in her will, filed at Chicago recently, gives the Chicago Protestant Home For the Aged $10,000, the First Baptist church $5,000 and the Milwaukee Orphan asylum $5,000. The remainder of an estate valued at $170,000 goes to relatives.

CURTAIN CALLS.

Louise Montague will pass the summer at Far Rockaway.

Howard Kyle will star again next season in "Nathan Hale."

Jacob Litt is at his summer residence at Watch Hill, R. I.

Richie Ling's singing is one of the features of "The Defender."

Hattie Williams will remain the Rogers Bros.' leading lady for next season.

Miss Mabelle Gilman will spend the greater part of the summer in London and Paris.

Eugene Cowles, it is announced, is to devote his entire next season to the concert stage.

John J. Farrell stars next season in revivals of "The Cattle King" and "The Bandit King."

Nixon & Zimmerman have engaged Miriam Lawrence to sing the role of Mrs. Hoppings in support of Francis Wilson in "The Toreador" next season.

HIGH PRICES.

Nearly everything has advanced in price excepting railway rates, postage stamps and newspaper subscriptions.—Burlington Hawkeye.

If the man who used to occupy his spare time in kicking about the prices will kindly step forward at this juncture, he will hear something that will relieve our minds.—Newark News.

The Successful One.

The man who sees in life the opportunity to express himself in the largest terms, who after ascertaining what faculties he has determines to develop them to the highest possible efficiency, who is capable of seeing the sweetness and joy that lie all about him, who, being proud, does not allow his body or mind to be defiled, he is the one who obtains the big rewards, the big successes.—Oppenheim, "Mental Growth and Control."

Queer Adornment.

Arab maidens before they enter the harem and take the veil are indeed curiously adorned. Their faces and bodies are stained a bright yellow with turmeric. On this groundwork they paint black lines over their eyes with antimony. The fashionable hue for noses is red, and spots of green adorn the cheeks. The general effect of this makeup is comical in the extreme.

How the Nations Sleep.

In this country the unhealthy feather bed is being driven out by the healthier mattress, which also rules in America. French beds are noted for their hardness, and German beds are so ridiculously short that foreign visitors are often much too big for them. Many Norwegian beds are made to pull out from recesses. The hammock rules in South and Central America. Japanese lie upon matting laid upon the floor, with a stiff, uncomfortable, wooden headrest. The Chinese use low bedsteads, often elaborately carved.—London Health.

Rhinoceros Horns.

The horns of the African rhinoceros sometimes grow to the length of four feet. In olden times rhinoceros' horns were employed for drinking cups by royal personages, the notion being that poison put into them would show itself by bubbling. There may have been some truth in the idea, inasmuch as many of the ancient poisons were acids, and they would decompose the horny material very quickly.

Japanese Workmen.

Perhaps the most conscientious workmanship in the world is to be found in Japan. Men may be found there who are proud to spend their infinite pains on a piece of work for which they will be, according to our ideas of good wages, inadequately paid.

Poverty and Flowers.

In the poorest quarters and tenements of London there is nearly always a flowerpot in the windows.

Neuralgia.

To allay neuralgic pains in the head and face take a small bag of flannel, fill with salt, heat thoroughly and apply to the affected part.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpareil Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

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State Conference County School Superintendents, Raleigh, N. C, Nov. 12th-14th. Dates of sales, Nov. 10th, 11th and 12th. Final limit Nov. 17th. Rate, $6.55.

American Federation of Labor, New Orleans, La., Nov. 13th-22nd. Dates of sale Nov. 11th and 12th. Final limit Nov. 24th. Rate, $25.00.

American Bankers' Association, New Orleans, Nov. 11th to 13th. Dates of sale, Nov. 8th. 9th and 10th. Final limit ten days in addition to date of sale, $25.00.

United Daughters of the Confederacy, New Orleans, La., November 12th to 15th. Dates of sale November 8th, 9th and 10th. Final Limit, ten days in addition to date of sale, $25.00

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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,

October 9th, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors, and will be held at the office of said company in the City of Richmond, Virginia, on Monday, the 17th day of November, A. D. 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to increase the present capital stock of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company to the amount of fifteen million dollars, to consist of one hundred and fifty thousand shares of the common stock, each of the par value of one hundred dollars, the same to be in addition to the capital stock already issued and outstanding; and for the purpose, also, of voting upon a proposition to increase the bonded indebtedness of the company by the issue of thirty-five millions of dollars in collateral trust purchase money fifty year four per cent. gold bonds; such additional stock and bonds to be applied and used, as far as may be necessary, to and towards the payment of the purchase price of three hundred and six thousand shares of the capital stock of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company, which, under the terms of the purchase thereof, is to be pledged as collateral security for the payment of said bonds.

By order of the Board of Directors,

JAS. F. POST,

oct 17 1m Secretary.

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